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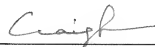
Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE**

This is in response to the Office Action of **January 22, 2007**. Enclosed is a listing of the claims that includes the text of all pending claims, including withdrawn claims.

It is respectfully submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance, which is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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